

### **REMARKS**

Claims 1-22, 28, and 29 are now pending in the application. Filed herewith is a Supplemental Declaration executed by all of the inventors, as requested by the Examiner. Therefore, the Applicants request that the rejection of the claims based on a lack of the Supplemental Declaration be withdrawn. This should place the present application in condition for issuance.

A typographical error occurred in the Form 1449. There were only 19 pages. Thus, the Examiner has reviewed each of the pages and indicated the Examiner's consideration by initialing the same. The Applicants thank the Examiner for the Examiner's consideration of these references.

### **ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER**

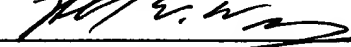
The Applicants thank the Examiner for the indication of allowance of all the pending claims.

## CONCLUSION

It is believed that all of the stated grounds of rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw all presently outstanding rejections. It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the outstanding Office Action, and as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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